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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re application of: Akundi et al.

Attorney Docket No.: CISC353/7974

Application No.: 10/721,571

Examiner: Truong, Thanhnga B

Filed: November 24, 2003

Art Unit: 2135

Title: DUAL MODE FIREWALL

Confirmation No.: 5786

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**AMENDMENT A TRANSMITTAL**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	22	MINUS	22	00	x 25 =	x 50 =
Independent Claims	04	MINUS	04	00	x 100 =	x 200 =
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid						
Total					\$	\$0

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petitions for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☐ Enclosed is our Check No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- ☒ Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. CISC353).

Respectfully submitted,  
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**AMENDMENT A**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 8, 2007, please consider the following arguments:

**List of Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.